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TO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRN, OVIP, IS

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF ASSTSECY OF TRANSPORTATION DAVIS

1. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION BENJAMIN DAVIS PLANS TO VISIT ISRAEL JULY 29-AUG 8 AT INVITATION OF GOI AND EL-AL. PURPOSE OF VISIT IS DISCUSSIONS ON AIRCRAFT ANTI-HIJACKING MEASURES. DAVIS VIEWS VISIT AS WORTHWHILE FOLLOW-UP TO HIS 1970 TRIP TO ISRAEL DURING WHICH HE FEELS VALUABLE USG-GOI CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION ON HIGHJACKING PROBLEMS WERE ESTABLISHED.

2. DAVIS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE AND INFORMED DEPT. THAT GOI MAKING HOTEL AND TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS. DAVIS WILL CALL ON CHARGE AND WOULD APPRECIATE BEING ACCOMPANIED BY EMBOFF DURING VISIT. VISIT TO BE IN LOW KEY WITH NO PRIOR PUBLICITY HERE. DAVIS AND WIFE ARRIVE TEL AVIV ON EL-AL FLIGHT NO. 2 AT 0920 JULY 30. ROGERS

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